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Westbound SR 44 Ramp to Southbound I-5 to be Closed

REDDING – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will begin night closures at the Central Redding Interchange beginning Monday, April 23, 2007. Closures are necessary to complete the replacement of guardrail on both sides of the roadway.

At intermittent times between April 23 and May 15, 2007, the westbound State Route (SR) 44 connector ramp to southbound Interstate 5 (I-5) or one of the two travel lanes at the ramp on I-5 will be closed nightly between 9 p.m. and 5 a.m., Monday through Friday morning. Motorists will be alerted to the closures by Changeable Message Signs (CMS). The contractor for this \$750,000 project is Blaisdell Construction, Inc. of Redding.

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